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THE RAINFALL OF HONG-KONG.

The following tables give the monthly rainfall at the Observatory to the and of March with the means and extremes for 30

years:-BAINFALL AT HONGKONG OBSERVATORY. 1884-1913. Menn. Max. Min.

8.43 1.69 . 7.95 0.00 February..... 2.39 March...... 6.94 2.99 11.49 0.17 The year's rainfall to the end of the month amounts to 10.36 inches, the 30 years mean for the same period being 6.12.

The installation of a new fog signalling apparatus has, we understand been completed at Waglan, and is to come into operation on the 15th inst. The character of the signal remains unchanged, viz., 2 reports every 12 minutes with an interval of 15 seconds between them. Instead of being fired from the old muzzle TAILORS, DRAPERS & OUTFITTERS loading guns which have for so long answered the purpose, a gun cotton charge is now electrically fired from an fron jib which swings above the Light Tower. Whether the actual sound will be greater is doubtful, but more accurate timing between the sound is certain to result—which is a big factor with masters of vessels who are trying to " make the port

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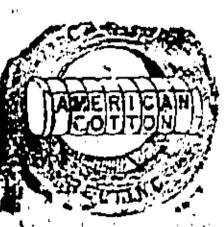


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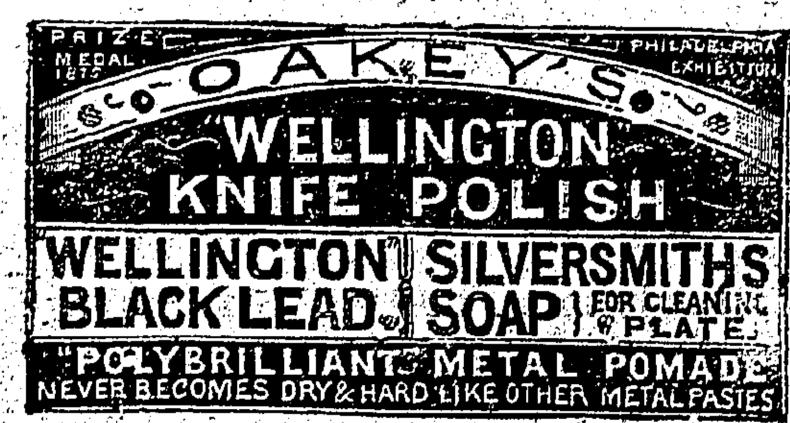
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E. MONTAGUE EDE,

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.C. MONTAGUE EDE. Secretary.

Hong.coug, April 1, 1913.

HONGKONG JUCKEY CLUB. NOTICE.

THE HALF-YEARLY MEETING the above Club will be held SATURDAY, the 19th APRIL, 1913, 12.30 P.M., at the Offices of the Hoxoxoxo JOCKEY CLUB, on the Ground Floor of th Honoxone Club Annexe, Chater Read.

By Order, T. F. HOUGH, Cerk of the Course.

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SHARE REPORT.

Messrs Vernon and Smyth, in their weekly share report, dated April 11th, state :--Continued firmness prevails is our maxket for all local investment securities, and in many instances further improved rates 52, and Pulps at \$23. Hongkong Electric Trams have been booked at 6/7 to 6/9, and have been establish d. The London market for "Rubbers" is again slightly easier, sate. 'Langkats close with buyers for with Oil and Tin shares figuer at about Shanghai account at Tis 634. last weak's quotations. Fine Hard Para Bubber and Plantation Sheets are both quoted at 3/5 per lb. steady. The Bank of England rate of discount is unchanged at o per cent, but there is a further reduction in the open market rate which is now quoted at 41 per cent. Bar Silver closes at 27 d. for ready, and 27 a for forward delivery, quiet. Sterling T.T. is quoted at

shares are probably to be had. London is quoted per "Reuter" at \$81.

Marine Insurances:--Unions have been done at \$845, and Cantons at \$292 both closing firm. North Chinas are wanted at Tls. 136 and Yangtezes at \$200. Fire Insurances :- Hongkongs after sales

at \$300 are in request at \$300, and Chinas 442 can be placed at the improved rate of \$150. Shipping': Hongkong Canton and Macnos have been booked at \$271 and \$274, and more shares are wanted at the former rate. Indo Coi as after sales at varying rates up to \$99 are easier with local sellers at 897. The London quotation is 180/- (middle). China and Manilas have buyers at \$84, and Douglases are wanted at \$354. Star Ferrys have ruled strong throughout the week, and after various

sales close with buyers at \$45. Oil Shares :- Shell Transports have been booked locally at 116;- up to 118/for cash and to arrive, market closing with buyers for cash at 117/. and a London quotation of 117/6 (middle). Ural Caspians and Mexican Eagles are unchanged at about last quotations with no business to

Refineries.—China Eugara are firmer with huyers at \$106 after sales at \$100 and 81054. Luzons a are quiet at \$38 with probable sellers.

Mining .- Tronobs have ruled quiet, closing with probable buyers at 76/- and London a seller at 78/6. Heawoods have sold and close steady at 4/3. Raubs are quiet at \$3.75 and Chinese Engineerings

Docks, Wharpes and God uns:-Hongkong and Whampos Docks have further improved, and sales have been booked at \$68 up to \$70, market closing with probable sellers at the latter rate. Hongkong and Kowloon Wharves have also firmed up, and after sales at \$76 and \$77 are now enquired for at \$775 with no shares obtain. the Sphinx. -

shie under a stiff advance. New Amoy Doe s can be placed at \$7 ex dividend and Shanghai Docks at T's 634. There are buyers in the North of Shanghai and Hongkong Wharves at the improved rate Lands, Hotels and Buildings: - Hopgkong Lands have again advanced, and shares can now be placed at \$108. Kow-loon Lands continue in request at \$35, and

West Points at the improved rate of \$61. Hongkong Hotels are firm with huyers at \$119 (uld) and \$76 (new) after further seles of the forwer at quotation. Humphreys Estates are wanted at \$81 with sellers hold ing for \$84. Shanghai I ands have improved in the North to Tls 92 buyers. 1421 for Norhern schount. Hongkongs are quieter with buyers offering only \$97 but at this noshares are obtainable.



Mise-llaneous :- ! hina Borneos are wanted at \$9} ex divide d. China. Providents at \$8} after sales at \$8\$. Coments at \$43.5 after various sales at \$4.40 down to \$43.0, Ropes at \$19, Steam Laundries at \$4, Dairy Farms at \$251, and Watsons at 874 after various sales at gradually improving rates. Electrics are obtainable at \$32, Ices at \$175, Union Water-Boats at \$174. Steam Fisheries at more chares can be placed ut the latter

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Professor G. A. Reisner, Egyptologist at Harvard University, has communicated to the authorities of the Harvard Semitic Museum and the Boston Museum of Pine Arts the results of notable discoveries in connection with the Sphinx, says the Cairo correspondent of the "New York Herald."

Inside the Sphinx Professor Reisner found a temple dedicated to the Sun. is older than any of the Pyramids, as is dates from about 6,000 B.C., and is be lieved to be the most ancient monument in Egyptian history.

Mens, or Menes, was the first King of Egypt of whom there is a historic record. and the tomb of this king, who was said to have made himself a god and fashioned the Sphinz, is within the Sphinz There are many tunnels leading into exverns which have not been penetrated, for the work has been going on only six months.

The Sphinx is carved out of the natural rock, but within are the caves and build ings of a city of gold, which was, perhaps even open to the air.

At present the excavations are confined to the chamber in the head. This chamber is sixty feet long by fourteen feet wide. It is connected by tunnels with the temple of the Sun, which rests within the paws of

Such relics as the "Crux Ansata" (the Looped Cross), symbol of the Sun, are found by hundreds. Several of these are of gold, and have wires for tiny bells. which, when sounded by the priests, were said to have summoned up ghosts. Inside the Sphing are also tiny pyramids, al-though the Sphing was built long before the Great Pyramids.

A pyramid in those days was a sundial, according to Professor Reisner, and the Sphiax 1 as a sun god. The Pyramid of Cheops is a very accurate time keeper. Professor Reisoner hopes to discover among the relies of the Sphinz the secrets of the Experien priests, whose magic is believed it have been marvellous.

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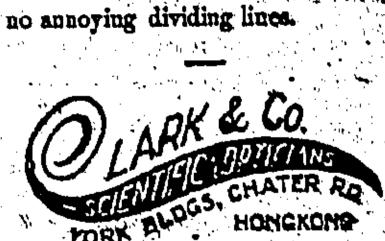
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By Order, K. M. CUMMING. H.n. Secretary. Hongkong, April 3, 1913.

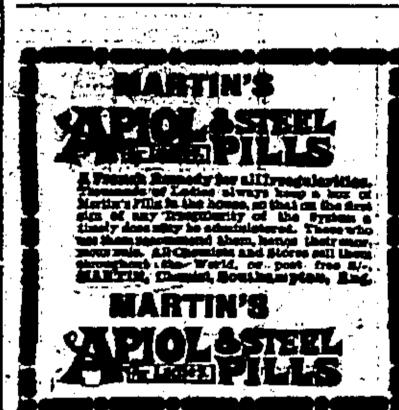
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A CONSIGNMENT OF Turkish Towels, Bath Towels, Single and Double Bed Size Sheets, Single and Double Bed Size Honeycomb and White Batin Quilts, Tea, Glass and Pantry Cloths, Damask Table Cloths, Dinner Servicties, Irish Embroidered Pillow Cases, Roller Towels, Stylish Lace Curtains 2hy ds. to 41 yds., Embroidered Rob s. India Gauze

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Hongkong, April 9, 1913.

PUBLIC AUCTION. THE Undersigned has received instruc-

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are reported in 131 chests of Patna Now st \$3,200 to \$3,300 per chest, Benares New 22 chests at \$3,350 per chest, and Bonares Old 5 chests at \$3,200 per chest in all about 138 chests. Deliveries during the fortnight amount to about 201 chests comprising of 2 chests of Patna New, 178 chests of Patna Old, 17 chests of Honores New, and 4 chests of Benares Old. Un sold stock is estimated at about 2,820 chests, comprising of 234 chests of Patna New, 1,682 chests out Patna Old, 414 chests of Benares New, and 200 chests of Benures Old. Sold but uncleared stock consists of Patna New 61 chests, Patna Old 430 chests. Benares New 104 chests,

882 chests. Closing quotations:-Patna New ...... \$3,350 Patna Old. ...... 3,200 to \$3,300 Benarce, New ...... 3,350 Benares Old ...... 3,200

and Benares Old 87 chests, in all about

Clearance about 2154 chests. Unsold proved. stock about 9491 chests. Sold but not taken delivery of by the buyers about 184

chests. Closing quotations:-Malwa New ...... \$3,000 Malwa Old ......... 3,050 to \$3,150 Cotton:-A small lot of 25 bales of Indian cotton changed hands at \$29 per pichi. Unsold stock is about 400 bales

Quotations \$29 to \$32. . . Yarn:-The Chinese Tomb worshipping and Easy Chairs, Teak Overmantels and holidays called Ching Ming had to answer chased a small lot at a decline of \$1 Double Brass-mounted Bedsteads, Teak per bale. Sales are reported in about

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20s ,, 154 100 Victoria in all about 1.700 bales comprising 200 bales of No. 8s., 300 bales of No. 10s., 275 bales of No. 12s., 175 bales of No. 16s., and 750 bales of No. 20s. Unsold stock is estimated at about 28,000bales. Sold but uncleared stock is about

20,000 bales. Local Yarn:-No sales. Japanese Yarn :- No sales.

Sundry Articles:—In imports good 473 \$71 to \$8 per picul, Kismiss at \$164 to \$17 per picul. Angoor at \$34 to \$4 per picul (old stuff), Apricots at \$14 per picul, Cloves at \$65 per picul, and Gum Olibanum at \$12 to \$16 per picul. In exports purchases were made in Cassia at \$15) to \$154 per picul, Cassia Buds at \$32 to \$35 per picul, China Roots at 312 per picul, Fire Crackers at \$12 \$18 per chest, Galangel at \$5½ to \$6 per picul. Groundnuts at \$81 per picul, and

Turmeric at \$8½ to \$9 per picul. Clos-

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## THE DIET FOR RHEUMA-

DURING the warm, "muggy," rainy season, people with rheumatic tendencies are peculiarly liable to suffer from that disease, as well from lumbago,

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that this food should be easily digestive
and should contain abundant phosphorous,
for phosphorous is useded for making disordered in rheumatic conditions,

position. A physician, writing in The Medical Times, shows how it often works wonders in such cases. He mentions a patient who "suffered with chronic rheumatoid arthritis, affecting the fingers, wrist and knees, for two years. Under Sanatogen the incomnia, lack of appetite and nervous depression which she had complained of, quickly disappeared, and subsequently the swelling and pain in the joints became less marked."

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excellent cuisine. Ludlow-street Gaol is the name of this curious penal institution, but it is popularly known as "the Alimony Club," because the greater number of its inmates | Mr and Mrs Anderson Mr G. T. Lloyd are recalcitrant husbands convicted for Mrs Ayre the non payment of alimony. Insulvent debtors and militiamen who have neglected Mr E. R. Bate to pay their regimental fees are also con. Mr E. A. Beaumont Mr D. Mackintosh

fined in "the Alimony Club." to leave. "The atmosphere of the Ludlow- Mr G. Block street gaol," says one report, "is skin to Dr Von Borch and Mr C. D. Melbourne monks lived care-free a retired life far Mr R. Brown sales are reported in Fennel Seeds at from the maddening struggle for existence." Mr. H. W. L. Bun- creiff time reading, writing, or playing cards.

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The Manager (Mr. T. H. Whitehead) having read the notice convening the meeting.

"The Chairman said :-- Gentlemen, may I take it that the report will be received as read? (Hear, hear.) In that case before moving the adoption of the report will make a few brief remarks in regard to the conditions of trade affecting our operations in the East and the Far East during the past 12 months. The most noticeable features have been the general activity of trade which prevailed in all quarters, we may say, not only of the East, but of the world, coupled with abnormally high prices for many of the commodities. I would instance jute and cotton, hides and skins from India, rice from Burma, tin from the Straits, hemp from the Philippines, and general produce from China-in all cases necessitating a good though rather an unusually high demand for financial accommodation, and resulting in the useful and profitable employment of the resources of all banks trading in the East. It is satisfactory, gentlemen, for your directors and managers to be able to show, from the figures in the report which is now before you, that this bank has participated in the activity of trade to which I have referred. and that its resources have been very fully availed of during the past year. The report, indeed, will show that not only have the operations of the bank increased in extent, but that the profits shown for the past year are a record since the establishment of the bank in 1853. I am sure that that will be a matter of great satisfaction to the shareholders as well as to ourselves. (Hear, hear.) And this result, gentlemen, has been arrived at after making very liberal and ample provision for all bad and doubtful debts, and after we have written down in all cases the

cases below these rates: THE OPIUM QUESTION. I would also like to mention that the commitments of this bank in the matter of advances against opium are of a very

securities of the bank to the current mar

ket rates on December 31, and in some

moderate description indeed. (Hear, hear.) They are all amply secured, and we have not the slightest anxiety about any one of those commitments. At the same time; gontlemen, I do think we may well express our sympathy with our old and valued friends and constituents who have for many years been engaged in this perfectly legitimate and well-recognized ousiness—the shipment of opium from India to China. It has been recognized and approved, I suppose, by the Government of India, who have for years past obtained a very handsome revenue from that trade, and I do think the shippers deserve our sympathy when they are confronted with losses owing to the sudden and unexpected and entirely unprovoked action on the part of China in prohibiting the despatch of opium from the distribut-Every description of Banking and Ex. ing centres to the districts up country. change business transacted, and Stocks But let us hope that matters may turn and Shares bought and sold on account of out less adverse to the shippers than would seem at one time likely. " (Hear,

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In China itself trade has naturally been disturbed by the unsettled conditions of the country. At the same time there has been quite a fair import and export business carried on, and it would undoubtedly have been much greater had the conditions been normal; but I am glad to say that in many parts of China there were bountiful harvests, there was an absence of floods, and the people are contented and happy if let alone and not taxed too heavily. We may well expect, once the Government of China is in a more settled condition; that we shall have a great development and improvement of business there. I look for that with all certainty as soon as the conditions are favourable in China, and we must all of us fervently hope that the long-expected, greatlydelayed, and much-talked-of loan-the FROM-BUSINESS OFNTRE. loan to be issued under the ægis of the Six-Power group—may shortly be brought out on the market. The delay has been EVERY DESCRIPTION OF BANK. execedingly prejudicial to the interests of China; it has interfered with the develop-OURRENT ACCOUNTS opened on the ment of trade, and it has greatly projudiced the" conditions of the present. DEPOSITS RECEIVED, fixed for one Government. I greatly regret to see in (Continued on page 5.)

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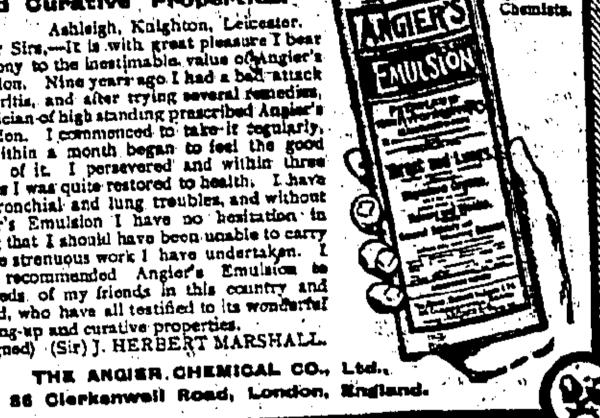
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#### COMPANY MARTINGS.

(Continued from page 4.)

. The Times " of this morning that apparently the new President of America March 12:-The ceremony of naming the N HOAD, Kowloon. does not approve of America us a nation joining in the Six-Power group. I hope that that will not mean further delay in the negotiation of the loan. It illustrates, ment " column were successfully carried I think, the danger of mixing up inter- out to-day. The weather was fine and national politics with the financial ar- the recent rains had laid the dust. The rangements of any country. (Hear,

INDIA'S PROSPERITY: "THORNY QUESTIONS." Well, gentlemen, as regards India, Australia, Admiral Creswell, Commander A India has had another year of great pros- Evans, of the Scott Expedition, the heads perity. That prosperity has been shown of the military and naval forces and of in the figures of the Budget recently the Federal departments, and many prebrought out by Sir Fleetwood Wilson, sent and former Federal members took and also by the large demand not only part in the proceeding. for shipments of gold from Europe to India, but also by the very heavy shipments wo have had in the past year of Duntroon Military College, laid the first Manchester and other goods from this foundation-stone. Mr. Fisher, the Prime country to India. The winter rains were Minister, and Mr. O'Malley, Minister for late in coming this year, and for some Home Affairs, laid others. At noon Lady time there was great anxiety as to the Denman named the capital Canberra (the winter crops in the non-irrigated part of accent is on the first syllable), and afterthe Punjab; but I am glad to say that rains have come, although late, so that which were present for their annual trainwe may look for a normal season as re- ing. gards the winter crops of India, and pro-I hope would mean prosperity to the parts of the Empire will be used in the banks that trade in India. I do not pro- composition of the column. pose to deal with the thorny question of the great drain of gold from Europe luncheon Lord Denman referred to the to India, or the question of the currency, unique ceremony of the naming of a this Commission may be so constituted Federal city to be sent to him. as to command the respect and confidence

be for the benefit of India as well as of England. (Hear, hear.)

with; they cannot be disposed of lightly

either on the side of India or on this

I hope that, whatever the result, it may

THE DIRECTORS' RECOMMENDATIONS. Now, gentlemen, I have merely to refer to the report that we make to you, and as regards our recommendations I can assure you it is with very great pleasure that the directors have been able to recommend the payment of a bonus. In all times we endeavour to preserve a policy of caution, always thinking of what is for the best in the interests of the shareholders and the bank, and it is very gratifying to us that we are able to make a little departure this year. As regards the amounts that we have set apart to various funds, I think I need only refer to one which is brought to my notice, and that is the allocation of £20,000 for the officers' pension fund, whereas in most years we have set apart £10,000. In two years we failed to make any allocationunfortunately we were unable to do soand this year we have recommended the allocation of £20,000, because you can well understand the sa the business of the bank expands the staff must grow, and as the bank grows in years the staff get older, and we consequently have to deal with a greater number of pensions for the managers and officers who have worked so well and faithfully for the bank. I do not for a moment imagine that you will grudge this particular allocation. but I think it right to explain to you why we are setting apart the sum of £20,000 instead of £10,000. It is quite right that we should do so when we can afford to. (Hear, hear.) With these remarks, gentlemen, I have to move ! That the report now presented, together with the balance sheet and profits and loss account, be approved and sdopted," and will ask Sir Alfred Dent to second the resolution, (Cheers.)

Sir Alfred Dont, K.C.M.G.: I have much pleasure in seconding the resolu-

#### FEDERAL CAPITAL OF AUSTRALIA

"The Times" correspondent telegraphed from Canberra, N.S.W., on Federal capital and the laying of the foundation-stones of the "commencearrangements throughout were excellent: I several hundred guests, including the Premiers of New South Wales and South

Lord Denman, the Governor General, attended by a guard of honour from the wards Lord Denman reviewed the forces

The "commencement" column is to vided we have a fair monsoon I see no stand on the slopes of the city's highest reason at all why India should not be hill, before the Capitol. The pedestal the happy recipient of another year of will be composed of granite from the six great prosperity, and that, gentlemen, States, and if possible stone from all

During a speech which he made at or the question of the Secretary of State | Continent's capital, and regretted the for India's balances, or the greater ques- absence of the prominent originators of tion, perhaps, of the establishment of a federation. Sir Samuel Griffith, Sir central State bank in India. All these Edmund Barton, Mr. Deakin, and Sir questions must be fully and carefully con- George Reid. He also mentioned that sidered by the Royal Commission which Lord Hardinge, the Viceroy of India, has has been promised. Let us hope that asked for copies of the designs for the Mr. Hughos, Attorney-General, said

of all concerned. (Hear, hear.) There that the new city would be the public are most important questions to be dealt symbol of Australia's nationality. Mr. Fisher, in his closing speech, said by the ever-flowing pens of ready writers that Federal defence was now on a firm foundation; inter-State commerce was side; they must be carefully considered. free; one barrier, however, to progress They must be considered by experts, and still remained—the break of the railway gauge, which must soon disappear. The Federal Government would not be behindhand with its assistance.

## AS OTHERS SEE US.

The "Frankfurter Zeitung" has made a discovery regarding the Englishman's passion for betting.

Scene, a London court. Counsel is speaking, when suddenly a messenger hands him a telegram. He tears it open, reads it, and says aloud: "Excellent; Violet has won." Applause in court, re pressed by the judge saying, "I beg you not to introduce irrelevant matter." Counsel apologises and continues his address. " () no moment, " interrupts the judge; does the telegram say which horse was second and which was third !!"

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3 p.m.—Sale of Crown Land at P.W.D.

General Memoranda.

12.15 p.m.—China Traders' Insurance

12.30 p.m.—Hengkong Jockey Club's

County Dinner at Hongkong Hotel.

The China Mail.

NATIONS.

LLOYD'S Register is practically the

only source whence come completely

are on the same basis affords a

1, there is given the tonnage of

merchant ships exceeding 100 tons }

of years. The total output of the

world is 1719 merchant vessels, of

[2,901,769 tons, of which 712 vessels]

dom, representing 1,738,514 tons-

practically 60 per cent of the total.

Germany takes second place with

only 165 vessels, representing 375,317

tons, so that their quota is only 13

90,000 tons for ships built on the

Lakes, making a total of 174 vessels,

cent. France takes fourth place with

180 versels, of 110,734 tons, a pro-

with 112 vessels, of 99,439 tons, con-

Japan, which comes next, launched

168 vessels, of 57,755 tons. Thus it

position. In 1911, however, our !

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Miss CECILE STEPHANO "The Garden of Love." (b) We'd better bide a weo.

Miss VIOLET BONETTA

(a) \* Call me up some Rainy Afternoon. (b) 'Hands up l'

than in the previous years, their 3.8 per cent. for 1912 comparing with MAJOR BOTHERAM, MISS-MONTAGUE EDE. 4.75 and 4.13 per cent. in the two previous years. Holland's proportion is practically the same as in the previous year, when it was 31 per cent., and 3.63 per cent, in 1910 Generally the other countries have not made headway when consider- Hongkong ation is had to the large increase inthe world's "output. The total increase in the world's production of merchant ships is 251,629 tons; 1912 does not constitute a record, 1906 still holding an advantage of 17,994 tons.

#### NEWS OF THE DAY.

Out of twe ty-six new Follows of the Royal Geographical Society sixteen are

The s.s. " Arratoon Apear " left for Shanghai this mibring, having ton board the salley, roses and maiden bail foru. Tibet.

The Bishop of Victoria will conduct the meeting of the Hongkong Christian Union at St. Paul's College on Monday next at 5.30 p.m.

At the Magistracy to-day a Chinese who was charged by Mr. Hoggarth, of the opium farm, with being in unlawful possession of opium, was fined \$42 by Mr. Mel-Noon-Union Insurance Society of Can

A fine of \$250 or three months' im-5.30 p.m.—General Meeting of Royal prisonment was imposed upon a Chinese congratulations to Major and Mrs. He was found in possession of lottery tickets at West Point.

> The "Broad Arrow" announces that blue forget-me-nots. new crows are to be detailed at Catham for passage to Hongkong to join submarines C36, C37, and C38, which are to be recommissioned for further service on the China

As many people are still unaware that Gough Hill Police Station is on the Public Te'ephone, we would again call attention to the fact. The number is 30 and can be found in the latest Telephone Directory under "Police." HONGKONG, SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 1913.

The s.s. "Waishing" which arrived SHIPBUILDING OF MARITIME to Canton with a cargo of rice, had some summer twice weekly; subscription \$4 a defect in her engine room, which necess month, " situted her going into dock, a She proceeded to Canton this morning.

On March 31 a large body of Formosan accurate and comprehensive returns aborigines attacked the Mitaui camphor play off three games. factory at Kussbaku in the Taipeh district. well as in British shipyards. The manager of the factory, and six Formosan The savages murdered Mr. Takato, the fact that the figures for each country | labourers, and carried away their heads.

The engagements of the Bishop of progress of the British as compared Victoria for to-morrow (Sunday) are :- Police Court to day with being in with foreign shipbuilders. In Table 8.30 a.m., officiate at the Peak Church; possession of 21bs of candles, and 4 lbs of 11 a.m., preach at St. Stephen's Chinese tea, supposed to have been stolen from a Church; 3.30 p.m. Chaplain's duty at steamer. She was fined \$25 or one month. H.M. Prison; 5.45 p.m., Cathedral, evenlaunched in all countries for a series ing prayer.

> A large number of his friends assembled at Blake Pier this morning to bid farewell to Chief Inspector Baker, who has retired from the Police Force. There also left by the same vessel, Inspectors P. O'Sullivan, M. O'Sullivan, and Gordon, who are going home on leave.

A large number of members of the Institute of Engineers and Shipbuilder per cent. The United States include listened with interest last evening to an instructive paper on "The Load-Line" read at the institute rooms last evening by of 284,223 tons, launched during the Mr. J. McCubbin presided. A number of past year. This proportion is 9.8 per drawings illustrated the paper.

portion of 3.8 per cent.; and Holland, . We understand that Messis, Butter field and Swire eintend placing the a.s. Linan" on the Munila run to take the office. tributes, 3.43 per-cent, of the total; place of the Kuifong which is to be placed on the Hollow and Haiphong run. Tho B. and S. Line will then be composed of three similar vessels the Linan will be seen that we hold a strong. Tamong and Tean, the two latter being well-known and popular on the run.

proportion was 68 per cent.; in 1906, the last year of great activity, the ratio was 28 per Madame Flint, costumier, brought a original. There were some twenty four cent., and in 1906 63 per cent.; but of 39 Wyndham Street, for \$60.50, the in years of depression our percentage balance of an account for two dresses and has only been 50 per cent. Thus a hat supplied, and the cost of alterations to gowns. The plaintiff was represented up to the average. We have already Messrs Brutton and Hett, appearing for by Mr. C. Wilson, solicitor, Mr. Hind of indicated that Germany's proportion defendant.

for 1912 was 13 per cent; in 1911 it was 9.7 per cent.; and in 1906, when also there was great activity, it wes Macao Steamship Co., which is being 11 per cent.; in 1904-8 it was over built by the Hongkong and Whampon 10 per cent. In 1912 they consider-Dock Co., is rapidly nearing completion ably improved their relative position. and when launched, and placed on the run should prove a big acquisition to the In the case of the United States the travelling public. The vessel is much the proportion is considerably more than same size as the Heung Shan with double in 1911, when, however, the total was funnels and a speed estimated of 16 abnormally low—namely, 61 per cent. knots, specially built of shallow druft to allow of entering Macao at any state In 1910, on the other hand, it was

17 per cent. The French total is less . FASHIONABLE MARRIAGE.

At St. John's Cathedral this afternoon the murriage was solemnized of Major Auston Morgan Rotheram, third son of Violet Montague Ede, only daughter of the Hon. Mr. C., Monta, ue and Mrs. Edo of

a large congregation, which included most of the members of the Legislative Council and other prominent residents, witnessed the ceremony. The officiating clergyman was the Rev. Foster Pegg, Chaplain to the Forces.

The bride, who was given away by her father, was attired in a charming gown of ivery charmeuse, trimmed with Carrickma. erose lace, with full "Court train embroidered in silver. Her tulle veil fell over a wrenth of orange blossom and myrtle. Two little pages, Masters Edgy Hay and Geoffrey-Bird, who wore Fauntleroy suits of violet trimmed with Irish lace, carried

the train, i The bride's bouquet was of

white carnetions, Enchariet lilles, lilies returning Chinese soldiers from The four bridesmaids, Miss Dorothy St. John, Miss Hetty Tomes, Miss Be Harston and Miss Peggy Bird, looked very drinty in dressess of white mousselsine, with large Picture hats of pale mauve trimmed with Parms violets. Their shower bouquets were of violets, verbens and lupin tied with pale mauve ribbons; and the bridegrooms gifts to them were sham-

> Captain Conolly, R. G. A., carried out the duties of best man. The musical portion of the service

ck brooches.

was under the direction of Mr. Denman Fuller, the Cathedral organist, who played appropriate voluntaries. At the reception at the Hongkong Hotel a large number of guests tendered their

by Mr. Hazeland at the Magistracy to-day. Rotheram, who leave by the s.s. Persia on Tuesday for a honeymoon tour to Japan and Vancouver.

white tegal hat, trimmed with pink and The bride's gown, dresses, hats and bouquets were made by Fairall and Co.

#### NEWS OF THE DAY.

The English Mail of the 15th March was delivered in London on the 11th April.

On Monday Mr. M. Manuk will lecture to the Y.M.C.A. Literary Club members on "The higher consciousness of man."

It is proposed to run a bathing party here from Wuhu on Wednesday en route in connection with the Y.M.C.A. this

> The Y.M.O.A. Chess bournament has reached the fidal round. Mr. G. Piercy and Mr. C. A. Sutherton Russ have to Lieuts. Sunders, Fellowes, Engineer

Lieut. Reid and Assist. Paymaster Haves late of H.M.S. " Alacrity " left for England by P. and O. boat "Assaye" to-day.

Sergt Wills charged a woman at the

clothes with the aid of a bamboo from a house at West Point was sentenced to one R.G.A. month's hard labour and twelve strokes of the birch by Mr. Bazeland at the Magistracy to-day.

The Y.M.C.A. Bullotin states that the association's new tennis courts should be ready for play on or near the lat. of May. The "Bulletin" E itor says that the association is doubly indebted to the Hon. Mr. C. H. Ross for exerting his in fluence in obtaining the ground for the courts and also for his having kindly Pegg. 6-1, 6-0. accepted the first presidency of the Club. Thanks are dup.nlso-to the directors and certain members for their liberal subscriptions towards the initial expense for laydown the Courts. Members who wish to subscribe are asked to notify the association

## R. E. PANCY DRESS BALL

A very successful fancy dress ball was given by the Royal Engineers last night at their theatre at Wellington Barracks. There was a very large number present, In the Summary Court this morning and the dresses worn were both pretty and dances, and these were carried out to the delightful music of a good orchestra. So novel were the costumes that the officers forming the judging committee had some difficulty in awarding the prizes. The winners were-Ladies-Mrs. Dobinson, first; Mrs. Smitheman, second; Mrs. Evans, third. Gentlemen-Sergt. Major Dobinson, first; Sergt. Smith, D.C.L I., second; Qr. Mr. Sergt. Axford, third. The prizes were handed to the winners by Mrs. Craster. A very enjoyable time was spent by all, and the committee is to be congratulated on the success-of the ball.

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Hockey.

D.C.L.I. v. H.M.S. MONNOUTH. These team, comprised chiefly of officers, mot at Happy Valley yesterday the late Edward Rotheram, of Crossdrum. In the fir t half, play favoured the Obleastle, Co. Month, Ireland, and Miss | Monmouth, Nolan, seering from close in. Later, Hatch added another following s good run, and the interval arrived without any reply from the Cornwalls, the score The wedding was a very pretty one, and being :- H.M.S. Monmouth 2; D.C.L.I.

In the second half, the Monmouth

attacked ear'y; rabtree on the left making a good run, but from a scrimmage in the goal area he was injured, being struck on the head; at the same time Hatch scored the Monmouth's third point. Crabtree having left the field, the Monmouth were one for the remainder of the game. The Cornwalls played up strongly, Mayers at centre forward being prominent, scoring [with a good shot. A little later, he-added another. A run by Hatch was topped by Paske, who put the Cornwalls on the attack again. Mayers scored the third goal which equalised the scores. During another attack, Kelly the Nival goalkeeper saved from Mayers but Fitzgerald scored again, putting his side in front. Mayers added another for the Cornwalls, making his fourth goal, but just before time Hatch reduced the lead, scoring the Monmouth's fourth point. Result:-D. C. L. I. 5; H. M. S. Monmouth, 4. Referee, Captain Church.

#### Billiards.

The penultimate stage of the match between the 83rd Coy, R. G. A. and Staff and Departmentals, in the Soldiers' Club Billiard Tournament, was reached at the Soldiers' Club last night, when two more games were played.

The first pair to occupy the table were The bride's going-away dress was of pale Major Hunter, Staff and Departmentals, pink charmeuse with tunic of Irish lace and and Gunner Twell. 83rd Cov., R. G. A. and Gunner Tyrell, 83rd Coy., R. G. A. From the start, the gunner set up a good lead, reaching his 50 with Major Hunter's score at 18, and at 100 leading by 52 points. Playing consistently, he reached 150, being then 73 points in front, but Major Hunter reduced this somewhat with a nice break of 20. Tyrell made no large breaks, but scored rapidly and won in the end by 90 points.

> Breaks, Tyrell, 13, 13, 11, 10, 10. Major Hunter, 20, 11. Scores :- Gunner Tyrell, 200. Major Hunter, 110.

The second game was dull, Gunner Campbell, 83rd Coy, R.G.A. and Pte. Bartholomew, Staff and Departmentals, being the contestants. At the outset, Campbell looked an casy winner, leading at 50 to 39 and at 100 being 35 points to the good. He maintrined his advantage unvil. 150 was passed and then Bartholomew Scores: -Gunner Campbell, 200. Pte. Establishment. Bartholomew, 192.

The 83rd Coy, R.G.A., now hold a lead of 13 points, a great improvement compared with yesterday when they were 85 points in arrear. The scores at present are: 83rd Coy, R. G. A., 1104.

Staff and Departmentals, 1091. The two final games will be played at the Soldiers' Club on Monday night. Lieut. Colonel W.H. Usher Smith, D.S.O. and Rev. Foster Pegg, C. F., will represent A youth who was caught stealing the Staff and Departmentals, and Sergt. Erwood and Bombr. Colmer, 83rd Co.

Tennis.

Hongkong C.C. Tournament.

Following are the results of the matches played to date in the tennis tournamen progress at the Hongkong Cricket

PROFESSIONAL PAIRS. 1st Round :- H. A. Nisbet and H. R. Phelips beat Major Davy and Rev. Foster

R. Hancock and R. D. Stewart beat 2-6.6-0.

. C. E. H. Beavis and M. R. Harris beat T. H. King and P. P. J. Wodehouse, 8-6, 5-7, 6-3. A. N. Joseland and C. C. Hickling beat

-W. C. D. Turner and A. C. E. Elborough, 6-3, 6-1. "Major F. J. Bowen and Capt. R. D Crawford beat G. Miskin and M.

Mans, 6-0, 6-2. 2nd Round :- Hon. Mr. J. A. S. Bucknill and E. R. Hallitax beat P. Delaunay and R. do Journel, 6-1, 6-1. Nisbet and Phelips beat G. A. Wood- Brent).

cock and C. Willson, w.o. Bowen and Crawford beat Capt. R. J. Clarke and Lieut. J. O. Benttio, 6-3, Seamen (apart altogether from St. Peter's

SINGLES HANDICAP "A" CLASS. 1st Round :-M. R. Harris (recs. 3/6) bent R. Henderson (recs. 15/1), 6-0. 3-2. Capt. Trucy (owel 3/6) beat E. Weilder (owes 15/8), 9-7, 6-1. H. King (recs. 15) beat J. B. Penman (owes 4/6), 6-2, 6-4. H. A. Nisbet (owes 30/2) heat R. F. C. Master (scr.), Rish p promising that he would make every 6-3, 7-5. A. C. E. Elborough (recs. 1/6) beat A. A. Clarton (recs. 4/6), 8-6, 6-1. Major Hunter (ser.) beat Capt. Atkins (owes 3/6), 6-2, 7-5. A. Josefand (owes 15/1) boat C. Willson! (owes 3/6), Willson scratched.

" 3rd Round :-- W. N. Lowe (ser.) best Major F. J. Bowen (ser.), 5-7, 6-4, 7-5. Dr. G. E. Aubrey (recs. 3/6) beat E. R. Hallifax (recs. 8/6), 6-2, 1-6 6-3. Capt. James (owes 4/6) beat S. E Green (owes 15/3), 6-4, 18-11.

SINGLES HANDICAP " B " CLASS, Ist Round :- S. R. Carlill (recs. 5/6) beat E. A. G. May (rece, 15), 8-0, 9-7.

C. C. Clarke (recs. 15) beat M. Donelson (owes 15), 8-3, 6-1. A. M. Crook (owes 15) beat H. Eggers (owes 15) 6-1, 7-5, D. E. Clarke (owes 3/6) beat W. H. Vivensh" (owes 15), B-3, 3rd Round :- Clark beat D. E. Donnelly

(rees. 15), 6-3, 6-3. Capt. Walker (rees. 2/8) bout M. M. Mass (ser.), 6-2, 8-3. J. McPherson (rees. 5) best Capt. L. Taylor (ser.), 6-1, 6-2. 4th Round :- J. L. McPherson best

Capt. Walker, 1-6, 6-1, 6-3. · CHAMPIONSHIP SINGLES.

1st Round :- R. F. C. Master beat P Delaunay, 6-3, 6-1, 6-0, H. Hancock beat Capt, C. A. James, 6-3, 9-7, 6-3 Dr. G. E. Aubrey boat W. N. Lowe, 6-1 6-3.6-4.

S. E. Green beat Major Hunter, 6-4

3rd Round :-- Mr. R. Harris beat Capt R. J. Clarke, 4-6, 6-1, 6-2, 6-8 and 6-4. Capt. Crawford had a walk ove from C. Willson, J. B. Penman beat W E. Weidler, 8-6, 6-2, 6-1. DOUBLES HANDICAP.

1st Round :- S. H. Dodwell and Dr. G. E. Aubroy (ser.) bents C. Willson and A. A. Claxton (owe 2/6), walk over. Hou. Mr. Bucknill and Major F. J. Bowen (owe 13) beat P. Delaunay and R. de Journel (rec. 15), 6-4, 6-4. G. A. Woodeock and J. Bouch' (rec. 18/3) beat S. R. Carlill and E. May (rec. 15/3), 6-3, 6-1. H. R. Phelips and Capt. Trucey (owe 4/6) beat Major Davy and to consider the advisability of adopting Rev. Foster Pegg (rec. 15), 6-4, 6-2, the "Rules for Judging" of the Royal H. Humphreys and D. E. Clarke (rec. Horticultural Society. As it is probable 4/6) beat W. H. Viveash and W. T. that few Hongkong horticulturists know Harboard (rec. 15), 4-6, 8-3, 6-3, the scope of these rules and as it will H. A. Nisbet and F. Maitland (owe 30) be some months before the new Schedule bent H. Hancock and R. Hancock (owe is issued I would ask you to be to good 30/3), 6-4, 8-10, 6-3.

3rd Round :- Capt. Clarke and Liout. Beattie (rec. 2/6) beat Capt. Atkins and Cape. Walker (ser.), 4-6, 6-4, 8-4.

#### SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

Captain H. M. Kemble, R.G.A., has left Hongkong to take up the appointment. as Adjutant of the R.G.A. at Ceylon.

Mrs. Byrne and Miss Magill, Army schoolmistresses, of Garden Road and Kowloon schools respectively, are ûnder orders to revert to home establishment next trooping season.

The King has been pleased to appoint Mr. T. J. Harrington to be Consul for the Island of Formosa and its dependencies, to reside at Tamsui; and Mr. C. J. Davidson to be Vice Consul at Yokohama.

Lieu enants W. E. Buckinghauf, F. P. Heath, H. M. Fordham, and W. B. N. Carr, Rayal Engineers, will be posted to be reckoned as a defect." made good progress scoring 52 while Camp- | Hongkong during the forthcoming trooping bell made 18. At 169 Bartholomow took | season in relief of Lieutena .ts A. F! Day, the lead for the first time in the game but A. G. B. Duchanan, F. L. Brown, and Campbell won by 8 points. Breaks A. W. S. Gibson, Ro al Engineers, re- new. Pods long, straight, even, fleshy. Campbell, 23, 13, 12; Bartholomew, 19, spectively, who revert to the Home" brittle.

> Among those who I fo for London this morning by the P. and O. steamer Assaye were Mr. W. Dick-on, Manager of the Chartered Bank, Mrs. and the Misses colour clear, bright; free from side-roots; Dickson, Lieut E. W. E. Fellowes, Eng. flesh tender. Lt. W. S. Reid, and Major and Mrs. L. L. Hepper. Passengers travelling to Singa pore ly the same steamer included Mr. R. O. Hutchison, Lieut. E. T. Farell and Commander G. V. Catev.

One of Hongkong's oldest residents is leaving the Colony permanently to-day in the person of Mr. A. Kuhn, who until recently, when he sold the business, was head of the firm of Kuhn and Komor. Mr. Kuhn, who is leaving by the Austrian Lloyd steamer Koeber for Budapest to join Mrs. Kuhn, has resided in Hongkong for a period of thirty years, and could claim to be one of the oldest members of the local Ma onic fraternity. As president

of the Austro-Hung rian Benevol nt Society he did much good work in the city, the following are the lines on which judg-Mr. Kuhn received a hearty send off from ing should proceed :-A. A. Claxton and T. E. Pearce, 6-2, a large circle of friends, who entertained him at dinner.

## MISSIONS TO SEAMEN.

The annual sermons on behalf of th Missions to Seamen will be preached at foliage, and which is at the time of judg-April 13th, in the morning (11 a.m.) by the possible beauty. Rev. D. B. Reynolds, B. A., and in the evening (5.45 p.m.) by the Right Rev. The Bishop of the Philippine Islands (Dr.

The following appeal has been issued. The working expenses of the Mission to Church) last year amounted to over

Last year there was a deficit of \$2,500 on the Institute, which has now been r duced to \$1,500. The Committee of the Missio a to Seamen in England provide the stipend of one Chaplain, but they only consented to continue to do so on the effort to induce the residents of such a wealthy and important port as Hongkong to provide a second worker, as they have done in the must.

We hope therefore there will be a liberal response on Sunday next.

Signed by the members of the Com mittee :- G. H. Victoria, Chairman, R. H Austruther, G. W. Estion, F.B. L. Bowley. W. Chatham, Francis Clark, L. Gibbs, W. R. Harbord, D. B. Roynolds, Chaplain and Societary.

#### OFFICIAL APPOINTMENTS.

His Excellency the Governor has made the following appointments:

Mr. Norman Lockhart Smith to act as Second Assistant Registrar General.

Confirmation of Mr. Philip Peveril John Wodehouse in the appointment of Deputy Superintendent of Police and Mr. Thomas Henry King in the appointment of Assistant Superintendent of Police, with effect from the 14th January, 1912, Mr. Philip Jacks to act as Land Office.

in addition to his other duties, during the absence on leave of Mr. George Herbert Wakem in.

Mr. Michael James Breen to act as Superintendent of Imports and Exports in addition to his other duties, during the absence from the Colony of Mr. Robert Oliphant Hutchison.

In pursu nee of directions given by His Majesty the King, the Honourable Mr. John Alexander Strachey Bucknill, Attorney General, has been appointed one of His Majesty's Counsel for Hongkong.

#### CORRESPONDENCE.

HONGKONG HORTIGULTERAL SOCIETY: 10. 00

(To the Editor of the "CHINA MAIL.")

Sir,-At the general meeting of the Society held on Tuesday it was decided as to publish the following notes and

The object of the rules is to codify judging so that there shall be some de-

finite standard of excellence. "As for as possible, uniformity, or as least consistency, of principle has been sought to be attained, so that the rulesmay be harmonious. The principle of pointing adopted aims at bringing the values of the several recognised attributes of excellence into strict relation one to another: thereby presenting a definite system of judging, instead of one necessarily varying, as at present, with the varying preferences of individual judges." Many of the rules are of a general nature and are already embodied in the Schedules for our local show. Many, on

the other hand, such as those dealing with fruit exhibits are not yet applicable here regarding vegetables. Bule 80 is as fol-80. Quality, coupled with a size suitable for table use, are the points of paramount importanco in vegetables. Size, much beyond that which invests the produce with the greatest value for table, ennuet be regarded as meritorious, sa if

indicates coarseness, and must, therefore, A few extracts will best show the system of pointing adopted: " 93. Beans, Runner and Dwarf Kid-

Points 7: Size and form ..... Substanco ..... Condition .... Colour .....

" 100. Carmts.—Of medium size ac-

cording to variety, good form; skin and Points 8: Form and colour ..... 8 Siz. ..... 1 Condition ..... 2

Uniformity ..... 2 "108. Lettuces, Cos and Cabbage. Hearts firm, well blanched, tender, une Points 6: Firmness and condition, 2., Uniformity ..... 2

Size ..... 2

size, not exceeding I foot in length; fresh, tender; of any colour. Points 6: Size and form Tenderness ..... Uniformity ..... 9

" 124. Vegetable Marrows.-Of medium

TABLE DECORATION. "142. No hard and fast rule can be iaid down, as table decoration is so entirely a matter of individual taste, bus

Points 20: Lightness and elegance Uniformity of colour, or Harmonious blending Beauty of flowers and folingo ......6 "151. A Good Rose .- The highest

type of bloom is one which has form, size, brightness, substance, sand -good. St. John's Cathedral to morrow, Sunday ing, in the most perfect place, of its and 215. SWEET PRAS. "Sweet peas should be shown in lightly

arranged bunches to display the individuality of the flowers. Stem long and stout, carrying three or more blooms; standard erect or gracefully booded; wings closely enclosing the keel; free from spotting or seorching. If, as is now generally the case, the

varieties are to be kept separate, and not mixed, in the bunches, the schedule should be so expressed: Points 6: Form and substance ...

Colour and freshness ... 2 Attractive setting up ... 2" These extracts will give some idea of the scope and nature of the rules, it is pro-

posed to embody them as far as applieable in the next schedule, and to exhibit cards at the next show stating the points; of excellence, for exhibits in the various classes, so that a visitor may see why a certain exhibit has obtained a prize rather than another which may appear to him of greater excellence,

Yours faithfully,

L. CIBBS. Hon. Secretary.

LONDON, April 11. A communique has been published et St. Petersburg to the offect that King Nicholas broke his undertaking to warn Russia in the event of war and to obtain her consent thereto. Nevertheless the Tear magnanimously aided the Montenegrins. When the question of Skutari was settled, a friendly notification was sent to King Nicholaswho was simultaneously warned of the grave responsibility of continuing the cesistance and pursuing personal aims, which would condomn Montenegro to a useless massacre. These representations to King Nicholas were without effect, and it was clear that he based his calculations on the embroilment of Russia and the Powers in a European war. It was impossible for Russia, berefore, to oppose the measures successitated by the refusal of King Nicholas to submit to the decree of the Powers. Russia cannot abandon her thope that Montenegro will cease from her obstinacy and will submit to the will of Europe, supported by an impening Naval display. Europe will then find means of alleviating the lot of the Montenegrins, overwhelmed by the sacrifices entailed in bosieging Skutari.

The communique reminds the Balkanites that Russia, which gave them dife, continues to be necessary to them for the purpose of mutual reconcilia tion, without which they cannot acquire wigour. The relations of Russia and " "the Slav peoples exclude the idea of mostility to other nations. It cannot be admitted that the cause of peace will gain by the clash of races.

#### BUSSIA AND THE BALKAN STATES.

A telegram from St. Petersburg states that the communique from the Foreign Ministry says that the principal object of Russia is to secure to the Balkanites the fruits of victories attained. As the result of complicated and difficult 'negotiations, Russia had ' preserved Prizrend, Ipek, Djikova, and Dibra for the Slave, but they thought it necessary to concede Skutari to Albania in order to preserve peace, a supture of which in such a cause would be manifestly absurd. As Skutari was a purely Albanian town, and the sent of the Roman Catholic Archbishop moreover, the Russian · Vice-Consul at Skutari had proved that the Montenegrins were essentially a military race, incapable of assimilating the several thousand Albanians settled in Montenegro thirty-five years ago, and consequently the annexation of a portion of Sandjak and Skutari, bringing in a hundred thouannd Albanians, would tend to make Montenegro merely Montenegrin Albania.

## DIPLOMATISTS HOPEFUL

Reuter says that the feeling of the Aliplomatists regarding the solution of the difficulty with Montenegro and for an early conclusion of peace is increaslingly hopeful. Italy and Russia are acting at Cetinje with a view to offering compensation for the loss Skutari, while powerful unofficial unfluences are working in London to .effect a better understanding between the Powers and Montenegro.

Semi-official statements in Berlin and Vienna confirm the above and emphasise that territorial compensation cannot be granted at the expense of Albania. It must be at the expense of f Servia in the plain of Skutari.

## A "BLOCKADE" CAPTURE.

graphs that the Montenegrin Royal .yacht, which was escorting three flour boats, has been captured by blockaders off An ivari.

SERVIA AND AUSTRIA.

A telegram from Belgrade states that the entire Press confirms the reports that the Servians have been ordered to cesse hostilities at Shutari.

The Chambers of Commerce and Industry have declared a boycott against Austrian merchandise and the banks have decided to concel the credits of merchants dealing with Austrian goods ainless Austria abundons her unti-Servian

Reuter's Service to the China Mail.

SIR STUART SAMUEL'S SEAT

LONDON, April 12. The Privy Council has decided that Sir Stuart Samsel must vacate his sent in Parliament,

[Note: Sir Stuart Samuel has represented the Whitschapel Division of Lower Hamlets since 1900, as a Liberal. He is a P. of the County of London and a member of the firm of foreign bankers, Mesers. Samuel, Montagu & Co. It was in connection with negotiations for the purchase of silver by this firm for the Indian Government, that the question regarding the right of Sir Stuart Samuel to occupy his seat in Parliament was questioned in the House of Commons, Eminont counsel has been representing Sir Stuart for some time with the object of proving that there was no precodent to indicate that the arms should be vacated in the circumstances—Ep.,"C. M."]

#### THE POPE'S CONDITION.

Lendon, April 11.

According to a message from Rome, the Pope is holding his own, but is feverish and is averse to taking nourish-

#### THE CANADIAN PARLIAMENT

THE NAVY BILL DEBATE.

LONDON, April 11.

The Canadian Premier's "Closure" proposals were received by the Opposition with ironical cheering and the singing of "Oh! Canada." Sir Wilfred Laurier protested against his being prevented from moving an amendment. and said-"We can be gagged. They can trample on our bodies, but the day of reckoning will come. We shall soon have a Dissolution."

The Hon. C. J. Doherty, Minister of were merely carrying out a mandate to preserve inviolate the British system of Parliamentary Government.

## The debate still continues.

A SUFFRAGETTE DEMON-STRATION.

£15,000 COLLECTED.

London, April 11. attended by representatives from all parts of the United Kingdom. Violent speeches were delivered, some of the \$2.15 per ton. speakers threatening to destroy property. A total of £15,000 was collected?

## BRITISH POLITICS

THE BUDGET.

Losdon, April 11.

In the House of Commons Mr. Asquith announced that the Budget would be introduced either on the 21st or 22nd

#### THE DUCHESS OF CON-NAUGHT.

OPERATION PERFORMED.

London, April 11. A. bulletin issued with reference to the liness of the Duchess of Connaught says that a severe operation was performed Her Royal Highness at Clurence House to obviute abdominal attacks, and that the ordeal was well sustained.

(Independent News Agency's Service to the China Mail.)

## NEWS FROM JAPAN

Tokyo, April 11. the Chinese Republic officially on the

The Bill excluding Japanese from Reuter's Cetinjo correspondent tele. America is being, much discussed in Tokyo, political parties and Chambers of Commerce taking steps against it.

Mr. Nakano, President of Tokyo Chamber of Commerce, visited the British Embassy to-day, and explained the matter to the acting Charge the payment of a special dividend of 5% d'Affaires, who promised to cable to his Government with reference to the

Japan will shortly build one large battleship and two torpedo destroyers.

THE PREMIER'S ADVICE.

Count Yamamoto, the Prime Ministor, talked the matter over with Mr. Nakano, and requested him not to deal with it radically.

#### COMMERCIAL

COTTON AND YARY.

Mesers. Lamke and Rogge, Ship and Freight Brokers, in their Freight circular, dated April 12, state :- Since we last reported under data of the 29th of March the rolume of chirt ning business concluded is much smaller than during the previous fortnight. This is principally due to the scarcity of tonnago, which has caused rates in all directions to further advance, and judging from present appearances it would seem that rates for some time to come are likely to remain at the present high level. The North also reports that freights! continue good on the Coast and that there

wi'l be a remunerative one for ship owners, since tonnage is in such shor supply. three steamers from Ssigon however met

ing operations have practically been suspended for the time being. Rice exports during this season amount to total 203,023 tons compared with 138,325 tons during the same period last year. Quotation for rice stands for April/May shipmen! No. 2. white round sifted at \$4,35 per picul against \$5.83, same period last year.

Saigon/Philippines: -There have been occasional orders in the market, but no chartering has resulted, as no tonnage was procurable. There - appears to be no pressing demand for tonnage just now, owing to amp'e stocks in the country.

Saigon/Java :- Last fixture reported was at 37 cents per picul, and there are further enquiries in the market, but owners are holding for higher rates.

Bangkok :- Cargo is offering plentifully the conditions are favourable for mon and rate has risen to 50 cents per picul.-There is still a strong demand for prompt tonnage, and two "outsiders" have been taken up, while it is anticipated that the rate will further improve ere long.

Newchwang/Canton : - Chartering busi. ness has ruled rather quiet and operations have been restricted to two fixtures for Justice, maintained that the Government | Canton at 39 certs per picul and one for Swatow on lumpsum basis, the rate working out at about 33 cents per picul.

Timecharters :- The Brit. s.4. "Haiyang," 1363 tons net reg, has been chartered for a round trip from Swatow to Samoa and back to Hongkong on Timecharter basis Norw. s s. "Opland" 844 tons nett reg. for 9 months at \$9,000,-and Germs.s. "Clara Jebsen" 1103 tons nott reg" for 12 months at 89,500. -per month.

Coal Freights :- There has been rather more demand for tonnage from Japan and A demonstration held by the Militant rates have advanced to \$2.15 per ton .-Suffragettes at the Albert Hall was Several orders remain unfilled and for a thority cares to levy, and so the result is prompt loading \$2.20, would probably be distressful.

Fixtures Reported :- Moji/Hongkong

Baltimore and New York, Brit. Barque "Daylight" 3599 tone net Reg., September/November londing. Brit. Barque "Drumelton" 1820 tons net reg , September November leading.

## THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

The annual report the The London Assurance, which has reached us from the local agents, M ssrs. Arnhold Karberg, & Co. shows that the year 1912 was one of great progress for the corporation in every des stern fight. It seems that the farmers, partment of its business. The amount standing to the credit of the profit and loss account on the 31st December, 1912, after transferring £50,000 to general reserve villed. Further, several of their rifles and applying £30,000 to writing down investments, was £161,837 16s. 3d., out of which the directors recommended a dividend of 20 per cent., being £2. 10s. 0d. per field in more senses than one. Of course shire, payable as follows: -£1 5s. 0d. on the 1st April, and £1 5s. 0d. on the 1st October, free of income tax.

YANGINZE ASSURANCE CORPORATION, LTD. This corporation, of which Messrs. Shewan, Tomes and Co. are the local agents, has completed its fiftieth year of existence, and appropriately celebrates the anniversary by declaring the very substantial dividend of per cent. The 1911 working account shows a credit belance of \$269,334.21 against a credit belance of \$253,652.87 for the previous years. The directors re-The Brazilian Government recognized commend the payment of a dividend of 20 por cent. out of this account, and the transfer of \$50,000 to the credit of reinsurance r serve fund and \$10,000 to the credit of building reserve fund.

The net premis estud during 1912 after deducting return Premis, re/insurance premis, &c., smount to \$1,357,748.39 against \$1,499,127.74 during 1911, and the account shows a balance at credit of \$820,384.66. The directors recommend \$3 per share, to be paid out of interest earned, which will absorb \$36,000, and to carry forward the balance of \$784,384,66 All the company's reserve funds have very substantial sum to their credit.

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#### EWANGTUNG NEWS.

WHOLESALE EXECUTIONS CONDENNED.

At a recent sitting of the Canton Chamber, or Assembly, according to the report, there was a stirring debate in respect of the many executions, which have recently been carried out by the Government Whather these executions are necessary c not, an outsider cannot say. But the re presentatives affirm, that they are more than they should be, and that at times they are not carried out with the care that ought to characterize such painful tasks. There seems to lurk behind it all the feeling that the time has come when not military but civil rule should obtain: It is assumed that military rule is still in the ascendency, because, all those who have is every prospect that the coming season been deemed worthy of death, are shot, and this in itself is regarded as evidence. that military law prevails. This is we Saigon/Hongkong-There has been a assume quite correct. But the burden of good demand for tonnage and rates have the speeches indicated that, in the opinion advanced from 33 cents to 36 cents per of many of those whorstook part in the picul, but further tonnage at this figure debate, the time has comprehended should even is not procurable. The last two or be executed by the colvil authorities and that the civil power alone should have with a declining rice market, and charter. the right to may when a man had forfeited BOLTON his life. Reference was made to the small regard in which life is held, as shown by the number of prisoners shot, and a'sc to the callous way in which some of those condemned have not been shot on the and t but have been left to linger on and dig when nature was exhausted. A debate of this kind must do good. It has long been a difficulty with the Chinese to know what to do with the worst of their criminals. The whole matter is very complex; but really the thing to be done is to go back one step farther, and see to it that there is more work for the people, and more real education which will without doubt p event so many from taking to robbery as a means of livelihood. Of course, at present, when everything is still unsettled,

seeking to gratify their passions in illegal

ways; but, after all, the number of ex-

ecutions in China in normal times is a blot

INEFFECTIVE GOVERNMENT. The Assembly a day or so later is reported to have discussed the unsettled condition of the country, and the terrible curse of robbery and kidnapping that is everywhere filling quiet people with alarm. It seems that recently there has been some attempt to place each district under the supreme control of the district magistrate. who is made responsible for the destruction of robbers, and for the general well-being of the people. If we have read the debate aright, this is supposed to be a retrograde movement; there ought to be a contral authority at Canton, which is responsible f r the entire province, and which can be pounded upon if things do not soon mend in this regard. It was clear enough. however, that the cruz of the situation is lack of funds with which to police the country districts, and this was felt and expressed

by several speakers. Yet the local

OPIUM DEST. UCTION.

The local officials in Canton have re cently received instructions from Peking to see that no opium is allowed to be Sail tonnage loading or to load :- For planted in any part of the province, and, Baltimore and New York Brit Barone therefore, they were compelled to bestir themselves. It seems that in some of the eastern portions of the province, opium has been planted by the farmers, and no one has felt it his duty to destroy it. When this order came, however, this spirit of indifference could no longer be allowed, and so a party was sent farth. This party found opium growing here and there, and compelled the farmers to whom it belonged to destroy it, which in most cases they did. though with a very bad grace. The Com-mission at last reached a place where the

farmers, led by two of the gentry, named Tse, refused to comply with the order of of the Government, and there followed a and those who supported them were supplied with arms, for in the fight that followed twenty one of the soldiers which accompanied the Commission were were seized and held as booty. When this reverse imprened the government party retreated, and the farmers and their defenders were left in possession of the the matter could not, and will not end there. The affair was reported to Capton and already steps have been taken to bring the obstructionists to their knees. Those who are responsible must first of all hand back the b dies of the twenty o e killed that they may receive decent burist. Then the rifles must be returned, and also all others things stolen from the bodies of the slain. Not only so; but the 1 rothers Te and some other ringleaders must be handed over to the officials, that they may be tried, and the fermers as a whole must promise to ply whatever fine the judges see fit to impose upon these who ernment servants in the discharge of their

duty Theseafter it will be to discuss the situation, and see what can be done to pardon those who were led into the trouble episode is a striking commentary on the opium difficulty. DIS · PPOINTED HOPES.

It is well known that in the first rush of the people after Republicanism, many of the better classes, rather of the moneyed classes, of Chinese imitated foreign ways. and especially foreign clothes. It followed that many shops were opened in 'the more fashionable parts of the city to cater for those who followed the new fashions. But it seems the rage, has not continued. any rate, if it has then it is evident that too many shops entered the market, for many of them are closing down. I seems that there is on the part of many a distinct hardening of the face against foreign fashions. For example, the old round cap was flung away with the queue, But recently in the West End it is reported that many of the better classes are reverting thereto, and are discarding felt hats and cloth caps. One resson for this was given to me. " Our own round hate are more convenient. we wear foreign hats, when we enter building we must remove them; it is impolits to keep them on the head. On the other hand we regard it as a mark of respect to keep on our old bats, and in this. way we are excused from a good deal inconvenience." There is something in this

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OITY OF BARODA, Captain W. HAUGHTON, having arrived from the above Port, Consignates, of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowna of the Honerone AND Kow-LOOK WHARP AND GODOWN Co., LED., Kownoon, and stored at Consigners tisk

and expense. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on SATURDAY, the 12th inst., at 10 A.M.

All claims must be presented within FIFTEEN DATE of the steamer's arrivalhere, after which date they cannot be recognized.

No claims will be admitted after the Goo have left the Godowns, and all goods: remaining undelivered after the 12th inst. will be subject to rent. No Fire insurance has been effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by " SHLWAN, TOMES & CO., General Agents. Hongroug, April 5, 1913.

SHIRE' LINE OF STEAMERS.

LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM EUROPE.

THE Steamship Flintshire having arrived from the shove ports; Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that all-Goods are being landed at their risk into the hazardous and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Honekong & Kowloon Whari & Godown Co., Ld., whence and/or from the wharves, delivery may be obtained.

Goods not cleared by the 14th inst. at 6 p.m. will be subject to rent.

All broken, chaled and damaged packages are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on 14th instant, at 9.30 A.M. Claims against the steames must be presented within 10 days of arrival otherwise they will not be recognized. No Fire Insurance will be effected by in any case whatever.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHEBON & Co., La. Hongkong, April 8, 1913.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

YROM EUBOPE, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

THE Company's Steamship Tango Moray having armed from the above forte, Consigness of eargo are hereby in-formed that their Goods are being landed and placed at their risk to the Howekows KOWLOOM WHARP AND GODOWN COMPANY'S Gonowas at Kowloon, where each consignment will be sorted out mark by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon as the Goods are landed. Optional Goods will be carried on unless

Instructions are given to the contrary before Noom, To-DAY.
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signed's and the Un's representatives at an appointed hour, All claims, must be presented within ten days of the strames s. arrival have, hiter which date they common be recognised. No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, NIPPON TUBEN KAUSHA.

Hongkong, April 8, 1918.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. STEAMER AMAZONE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo from Loudon O SE B.S. Medoc : from HAVEE 6X s.s. Basque ; from Bonnsauxer s.s. P. d'Arras & V. de Valencinnes, in connection with above steamer are hereby informed that their Goods with the exception of Opium, Treasure and Valuatles, are being landed and stored, as their risk into the hazardons and or exist haradous Godowns of the Hongkons and KOWLOOM WHARP & GODOWN COMPANY. Em, at Kowloom, whomee delivery may be obtained immediately after landing.
Optional Cargo will be forwarded quiess intimation is received from the Conto be landed here. .

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be recognised. All damaged packages will be examined in theel4th Inst. at 10 L.M. lio Fire Insurance has been effected. THOMAS,

Hongkong, April 7, 1913.

PACIFIC MAIL STEAKSHIP OF.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNAES. FROM BAN FRANCIBOO, JAPAN

PORTS & MANILA.

The above-mentioned vessel having ordred. Consignees of Cargo are hereby notified to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of ourgo from Godown. Cargo, will be landed immediately Consigness risk on strival of steamer. DAY, April 11th, 1913, at noon, will be subject to imdiag and storage charges. No Instrance whatever will be effected. All chafed and otherwise damaged ourge

will be examined at the above Company godown on MONDAY, April 14th, 1918; at No claims will be entertained unless accompanied by short delivery note or list of exceptions taken at the time of delivery to Consigners and signed for and on behalf of the Pacific Mail S.S. Co. All claims must be filed on or before.

May 8th, 1913, otherwise they will not FRED J. HALTUX.

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'MOGUL' LINE OF STEAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS. 

Capital Bulgarian Company of Walter Parties And Com-

THE STEAMSHIP LOTHIAN. FROM GLASGOW, LIVERPOOL & STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being handed at their risk into the Godowns of Holt's Wharf at Kowloon. whence and/or from the wharved delivery may be obtained.

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 15th inst. will be subject to rent.

All claims against the steamer must by presented to the Undersigned on or before the 5th prox., or they will not be re-All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowne, where they

will be examined on the 15th inst. at No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by DODWELL & Co., Len.,

Agente Horighoug, April 9, 1913,

> THE CHINA MAIL. NOTICE.

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The following Typhona signals Hill, Kowloon, the Harbour Office, in Kowloon Godowne, H. M. S. Tames Green Island, Standard Oil Premises La chi-kor and F. O. Quarters, Lyeempon.

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In addition to the above, when It is expected that the wind may increase to full typhoon force at any moment, the following Drgont Signals will be made all the Water Police Station, and repeated

at the Harbour Office :-THREE EXPLOSIVE SOMES AT INTERVALS OF THE ESCORDE.

A Black Cross will be holeted at the same time, superior to the other shapes. FIGHT EIGNALS. The following Night Signals will be

hoisted from the Elegates, on the roof of the Water Police Station at Kowloon, the Harbour Office Flagstaff, and H.M.S. Tamar. L. Three Lightz Vertical, Great, Great

Green, indicates that a typhoon is buliave to be situated more than 300 miles from the Colony. IL. Three Lights Vertical, Green, Red, Green, indicates that a typhoca is believed

to be situated less than 300 miles from the Colony. III. Three Lights Vertical, Red. Green Red, indicates that the wind may be

expected to increase to full typhoon forms any moment. No. III Signal will be accompanied in the Explosive Bombs, as above, in the event of the information conveyed by the

signal being first published by night. The Night Signals will be substituted for toe Day Signals at sunset, and will, when

necessary, be altered during the night. SUCPLEMENTARY, WARRENCE For the benefit of Fative Craft and

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#### STEAMERS EXPECTED. Mails.

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Korea arrived at Manila on Thursday, the 10th a pril, between 8 and 10 a.m., and is expectod to leave that post for Hongkong on Sunday, the 13th April, and is due to arrive here at 9 a.m. on Tue day, the 15th April.

The N. D. L. s.s. Buslow carrying the German Mails with dates from Berlin of the 19th March, left Colombo on Sunday, the 6th April, at a.m., and may be expected here on or about

Thursday, the 17th April. The N. D. L. s.s. Prinz Sigismund left Sydney on Saturday, the 5th April,

and may be expected here on or about Luciday, the 29th April. THE C. P. R. Co.'s R.M.S. Empress of

India arrived at Nagasaki at 9.30 a.m. on the 10th April, and left again ab 5, p.m. on the same day; due to strive at Kobe on the 11th April,

The P. M. S. S. Co.'s s.s. Siberia sailed from San Francisco on March 29th. for Hongkong via Honolulu, Japan Ports and Shanghai.

The P. M. S. S. Co a. a.s. China sailed from San Francisco on April 5th for Hongkong, via Ho. olulu, Japan Ports and Manila.

Other Vessels, The M. & O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Palawan is expected to arrive at Penang on the ' 10th April, at 8 a.m.

The L C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Cheong. ming fest. Weihaiwei on the 6th April, at 5 mm., due Hongkong on the 10th

The R. L. S. N. Co. 8 a s. Dilwara from Tokohama and Kobe, left Moji on the 8th April, p.m., and may be expected here on or about the 13th April, s.m. The P. S. S. Co. an. B. Rubi left Manils on Thursday, the 10th a pril, and is due here on Sunday, the 13th April, at day.

Zie H. A. L. a.s. Liberia left Singapore on the 8th April, p.m., and may be ex. Gold Leat, 100 fine, (per tael) ... \$52.20

P. & O. S. N. Co.'s s.s. Narrung left Singapore for this port on the 8th April, at 5 p.m., and is due here on the 15th April, at about noon.

be O. S. K. stesmer Seutile Maru from | Hongkone Sah, Ocin. Tacoma, arrived at Manila on the 7th Abril, p.m., and will leave again for this port on the 10th April, p.m., and to due at Hongkong on 15th April, s, m, P. & O. S. N. Co. s s.s. Peshawur left URING the summer months children Bingapore for this port on the 10th part are subject to disorders of the bowels April at 8.20 a.m., and is due here should receive the most careful attenon the 16th April, at about 6 p.m.

Latest Advices. The Austrian Lloyd's s.s. Koerber left Shanghai for this port on the 10th

April, and is due to arrive here on the 13th April. The Russian s.s. Baron Driesen left Nagasaki on the 12th April for this port,

and is due to arrive here on or about the 17th April.
The 1. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Fooshing left Calcutta on the 2nd April, due

Hongkong on the 19th April. The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s B.B. Choysang left Shanghai on the 9th April, due Hongkong on the 13th April.
The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Fausang

left Chinwantao on the 9th April, due Hongkong on the 13th April. The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Tingsang left Dalny on the 8th April, due Hongkong on the 15th April. The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s c.s. Laisang left Yokohama via Kobe on the 10th

April, due Hongkong on the 20th The I. C. S. N. Co., Ltd.'s s.s. Namsang left Calcutta on the 8th April, due Hongkong on the 22nd April.

CANALLINGS. April II. Brisgavia, Hilachi Lennox, Menelaus, P. E. Friedrich, Prinz!

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Hongkong, April 12, 1913.

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PUBLIC ADOTION.

Particulars and Conditions of the letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 14th day of April, 1913, at 3 r.m., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of OROWN LAND adjoining Rural Building Lot No. 68, Wanchai Gap, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 21 years.

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PUBLIC AUCTION

THE Undersigned have received instructions to Sell by Public Auction (FOR ACCOUNT OF THE CONCERNED),

## TUESDAY,

the 15th April, 1913, at 2.30 r.m., at their Sales Rooms, No. 8, Des Vœux Road, Corner of Ice House St.,-THREE SECOND-HAND RICKSHAS,

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in which vessel is secured before departure from Hongkong. Silk and Valuables, and Tea and Cargo for France, London (under arrangement) will be transhipped at Colombo into the mail steamer proceeding direct to Mar seilles & London : other cargo for London,

etc., will be conveyed via Bombay in the s.s. Persia due in London on the 6th June, 1913. Parcels will be received at this Office until 4 p.m. the day before sailing. The

contents and value of all packages are

For further particulars, apply to E. A. HEWETT,

Superintendent. Hongkong, April 12, 1913.

· BEN' LINE OF STRAMERS. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM MIDDLESBRO', LONDON AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship BENVORLICH.

Consignees of cargo are hareby informed that all goods are being landed at their riel into the hazardous and/or extra hazar done Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf & Godown Co., Limited, Kowloun, whence and/or from the wharves delivery may be obtained.

No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 19th inst. will be subject to rent. All claims against the atsemer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before

the 26th inst., or they will not be recognised. All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowski, where they will be examined on the 19th inst., at

II A.M. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, April 12, 1913.

NOTICE TO CURSIGNEES, FROM CALCUITA, PENANG AND SINGAPORE.

THE Steamship Japan having arrived from the above ports, Copsigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their goods will be delivered from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge will be landed at once at Consignees risk and

Cargo remaining on board after 1 P.M. of the 15th inst., will be landed at Consignees' risk and expense. Consignees of Cargo from Singapore and Penang are requested to take IMMEDIATE Such Cargo impeding the discharge of the Yessel will be landed and stored at Con-

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Hongkong, April 19, 1912.

## SHIPPING

#### ARRIVALS.

April 11. " Rokkeson Maru, Japanese str., 1,343, Y. Hashimoto, Wakamatsu April 5, Coal,-MITSUL BUSSAN KAISRA.

Japan, British str., 3,806, C. P. Seddon Calcutti March 27, and Singapore Apr.16, General.—David Sassoon & Co., Lp. Pheumpenh, British steamer, 1,065, Jas. H. Scott, Saigon April 7, Rice and Geuoral. - Chinese.

Benvorlich, British str., 2,164, F. Smith, London and Singapore April 6, General.— GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Rangoon Maru, Japanese str., 3,319, Y. Kameshita, Kobe April 5, General,-

#### NIPPON YUNEN KAISHA. DEPARTURES.

Assaye, for Singapore and Bombay. Busan Maru, for Keelung. Upada, for Singapore and Rangoen.
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ABRIVED. Per Japan, from Calcut's, &c., Mrs L. C. Townsend, Miss M. Alexander, Miss M. Ranson, Miss L. Botherston, Mrs Pea-cock, Mr D. Mackintosh, Mr Montgomery, Holy Communion (8.15 a.m.) Mrs Chuk, Misses K. and C. Chuk, Master

Per Assaye, from Hongkong: for Singapore, Mr R. O. Hutchison, Comdr. G. V. Carey, Mr Virgilio, Mr S. Tominaga, Lt. E' T. Farell, Mr P. Courtney, Mr Braddock; for Bombay, Messra W. A. Niven, S. M. Kavarana, r. N. Talati and D. M. Mistry; for Marseilles, Mr P. F. Benton, Mr and Mrs Wm. Dickson, Miss Dickson, Miss J. Dickson; for London, Mrs G. V.
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## POST OFFICE NOTICES.

Mails will Close for :-STRAITS & CEYLON. Per Roerber, at 9 a.m., on Sunday, the

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Per Phranang, at 1 p.m., on Monday, the 14th April. Macao.

Per Sui Tai, at 1.15 p.m., on Monday, the 14th April.

SAIGON. Per Pakhei, at 3 p.m., on Monday, the 14th April. STRAITS, CEYLON & INDIA Via

BOMBAY. Per Rangoon Maru, at 4 p.m., on Monday, the 14th April. SIAM. Per Kohnichang, at 9 a.m., on Tuesday,

the 15th April. HAIPHONG, PAKHOI & SAIGON. Per Singan, at 9 a.m., on Tuesday, the 15th April. SWATOW, AMOY & FOOOHOW...

Per Haitan, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday, the 15th April. WEIHAIWEI & TIENTSIN. Per Cheongshing, at 10 a.m., on Tuesday,

the 15th April. HAIPHONG, PAKHOI & SAIGON. Per Si-Kiang, at 1 p.m., on Tuesday, the 15th April. JAPAN VIA YOROHAMA.

Per Jelunga, at 2 p.m., on Tuesday, the loth April. PHILIPPINE ISLAND.

Per Taming, at 3 p.m., on Tuesday, the SWATOW, AMOY, & FORMOSA Via

Per Soshu Maru, at 5 p.m., on Tuesday, the 15th April. STRAITS & CEYLON. ...

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CHURCH SERVICES. St. John's Cathedral.

3RD SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

13th APRIL, 1913.

Matins (11 a.m.) 500 Chuk and child, Mrs Pearman, and Mr Responses, Ferial; Venite, Turle; Psalms, of the 13th morning (II.); Te Deum, Woodward, Smart, Turle ; Benedic-

tus, Turle (13th evening); Hymns, 140, 370, 291. Preacher: Rev. D. B. Reynolds, B. A. Evensong (5.45 p.m.) (Full Choir).

Responses, Ferial: Psalm, of the 13th evening (I); Magnificat, and Nunc Dinittis, Martin in B flat; Anthem, Worthy is the Lamb": Handel;

Hymns, 136. Sevenfold Amen. Preacher: The Rt. Rev. Bishop C. H. Brent, D.D. Voluntary, Prelude: Fugue in C. Minor,

Mr F. G. Windham, Mr W. Elliot, Mr R. W. Robinson, Mr. L. R. Hall, Mr E. L. Union Church, Kennedy Road. Morning Worship 11 s.m." . Callaway, Major and Mrs E. L. Hepper, Evening 6'p m.

Preacher : Rev. J. Kirk Maconachie. St. Peter's Seamen's Church, West Point. Il a.m.-Morning Prayer and Holy

Preacher-Rev. D. B Reynolds, B.A. 8.15 p.m.-Gospel Service at Seamen's H

Institute.

St Andrew's Church, Kowloon. Matins. Hymn, 4; Responses. Festal; Venite, H 13th day .; Psalms, Woodward, Smith; (Lust four verses in unison.) To Deum, Lawes, Cooke, Hopkins; Bene-

dictus, Troutbeck; Hymns, 634, 270, 224. Evensong. Hymn, 299; Responses, Festal; Psalms, First four Chantes with changes. LXX Hawes; Magnificat, Barnby; Ch Nune Dimittis, Monk; Hymns, 284, 604, 391.

Note:-No. 391, Sallivan, Hymnal Com.

No. 84, Last 2 and first 2 verses. Vesper Hymn. Seamen's Institute, 8 Praya East. | Ho Men's Meeting City Hall 9 p.m.

Wesleyan Methodist Church. Wanchai. Sunday Morning Service 10.15 a.m. Sunday Evening Service 6 p.m.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Arsenal Street. Sunday Evening, Gospel Service, 8 p.m. Christian Science Services. MACCOUNTELL ROAD, CHURCH MEAR PEAK Watkins, Limited

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TRAMWAY. Services: -Sunday II.15 a.m. Wednesday, 5.30 p.m. German Chapel (Deutsche

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Glenenly. Low Masses at 6, 7 and 9.30 a.m. Per Nyanza, at 9 s.m., on Wednesday, 5.30 p.m.—Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament.

Rosary Church, Kowloon.

Benediction of the Blessed Sacrament. St. Joseph's Church, Garden Rosd Mass with sermon in English at 9 a.m. followed by the Benediction of the

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## WEATHER REPORT

On the 12th at 11.27 a.m.—Pressure has owing to the approach of a depression tomatic tide-recording machine in the Wafrom Manchuria. It has increased slightly | the years 1887-8-9 over N.E. China and is nearly stationary

Japan. A shallow depression has formed over

pines. It is still highest to the east of

Indo-China. Moderate E. winds are indicated over the northern portion of the M. China Sea. Hongkong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.00 inches.

Forecast for the 24 hours ending at noon ti-morrow :---1 .-- Hongkong and Meighbourhood a Mos N. winds, moderate ; fair.

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